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SUBJECT: ENERGY: INCREASE IN EXPORT TAX ON PETROLEUM PRODUCTS

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1. EFFECTIVE JUNE 3, NATIONAL ENERGY BOARD (NEB) RAISED EXPORT CHARGE ON MOTOR GASOLINE FROM \$1.50 TO \$3.50 PER BARREL, ON MIDDLE DISTILLATES FROM \$2.00 TO \$3.50 PER BARREL, AND ON HEAVY FUEL OILS FROM \$2.75 TO \$3.00 PER BARREL (SEE PARA 3 OF REFTTEL). NOTE: TAX IS APPLICABLE ONLY TO PRODUCTS REFINED FROM CANADIAN CRUDE.

2. ACCORDING TO NEB SOURCES, NEB ACTION REFLECTS "FIRMING" OF U.S. (PARTICULARLY ON EAST COAST) AND EUROPEAN PRODUCT PRICES, U.S.-CANADIAN EXCHANGE RATE CHANGES, AND AN INCREASING TIGHT SUPPLY OF GASOLINE AND MIDDLE DISTILLATES IN U.S. (AGAIN ESPECIALLY ON EAST COAST) WHICH HAS ADDED PRESSURE TO INCREASING PRICES AND GREATER DEMAND FOR CANADIAN REFINED PRODUCTS.

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